

SOCIETY NOTES

LIFE'S MAZY WHIRL

At the First Baptist church Wednesday evening at eight o'clock, the marriage of Miss May Cynthia Whiting and Mr. Theodore Westermann was celebrated. Reverend H. O. Rowlands, pastor of the church, read the service. He was assisted by Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews of the state university. The full Episcopal service with two rings was used. Doctor H. M. Mayhew played a succession of beautiful airs on the organ while the audience was assembling, and at eight o'clock the wedding music from Lohengrin announced the coming of the bride. Miss Adeloyd Whiting as maid of honor, advanced first down the aisle and was followed by the bride on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man. The gown worn by the maid of honor was a dainty creation made of tucked white organdie, mechlin lace and insertion, the bouquet was of American beauties. The bride's gown was of embroidered chiffon over liberty satin. The skirt was en train with tiny ruffles at the foot headed with medallions of very handsome lace. Some of the same lace was artistically placed on the corsage which was also adorned with seed pearls and finished with a wide sash. Sprays of orange blossoms worn by Mrs. Whiting on her wedding day just thirty years before adorned the bride's corsage and caught the veil to her dark hair. She carried no flowers, but a prayer book, instead. The ushers were Messieurs Max Westermann, Fritz Westermann, Frank Elmer Bishop, Horace Sherman, George Clifton Shedd, George Knapp Bartlett, William Paul Fitzgerald, Edgar Clark. A forest of stately palms made a dignified decoration for the church, and white ribboned pews were reserved for relatives intimate friends, and the members of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Apropos—one of the prettiest scenes at the wedding was the entrance of the Kappas as they trooped down the aisle in their party gowns and opera cloaks. Following the ceremony at the church was a reception given by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Virgil Whiting at their home for the bridal party, relatives, guests from Fairbury, Kappas and a few young people. Mr. and Mrs. Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. Westermann, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Westermann, Mr. and Mrs. Max Westermann received. The drawing room and the present room were adorned with smilax and pink roses. The dining room was in green and white. A tall vase of white roses in the center of the table was surrounded by delicate ferns. Mrs. Lewis Marshall and Mrs. Charles Branch presided at the refreshment table and were assisted by Misses Kate Gellatly, Emily Jenkins, Blanche Hargreaves and Mabel Hays. One room was filled with the lovely gifts which the bride received. Miss Whiting was a member of the class of '96 in the state university, and took her second degree in '96 and since then she has been adjunct professor in English literature. She is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, has been prominent both in local and national work, has been grand secretary, and is at present grand president of the sorority. She is a gifted young woman, has been honored by an election to Phi Beta Kappa, and has a large circle of friends. Mr. Westermann was also educated at the Nebraska university and is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

Mr. Westermann expected to take his bride to St. Louis, but his plans were changed and instead, their honeymoon will be spent in Denver, Salt Lake City and Butte, Montana.

Out of town guests were Mrs. H. V. Gellatly, Miss Gellatly, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hearty, Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jenkins, Miss Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs.

G. W. Hansen, Mr. Dewitt Hansen, Mrs. Susan Champlin, Mrs. H. H. Bright, Mrs. John C. Kesterson, Miss Marie Kesterson, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cropsy, Mr. F. W. Dinsmore, all of Fairbury; Judge G. M. Spurlock of Sherman; Miss Daisy Houck of Grand Island, and Miss Helen Field of Shenandoah, Ia.

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A very beautiful autumn wedding occurred Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Broady Trigg, 1817 Sewell street, of this city. The principals were the well known and very popular young people, Miss Leta Trigg and Mr. Phil Rufus Easterday. The officiating clergyman was the revered Chancellor Huntington. In the ceremony the very pretty and impressive double ring service was used.

Promptly at half past seven the bride's sister, Miss Emily Trigg, began the rendering of Lohengrin's "Wedding March," and in accord with this the bridal party wended its way from the waiting room through the sit-

ting room and into the drawing room, where beneath two large arched palms, with a back ground of palms and ferns, they were married. The ceremony was witnessed only by relatives and intimate friends. The party was led by six small children, all in white, who, with white ribbons, formed an aisle through which the bride and groom with their attendants came. These little people were the Misses Margaret States, Julia Powers, Eleanor Mitchell, May Powers, and Masters Vernon and Wendell Gage.

The bride was lovely in her white gown of crepe de chene trimmed with mousseline de sole and her white veil, carrying bride's roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Nelle Trigg, who wore a gown of white wash chiffon, and carried white roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Cad R. Easterday. After the ceremony the wedding march from Mendelssohn was played by Miss Mary A. Smith.

From eight to ten o'clock a reception was held, and two hundred and fifty friends called to extend their congratulations to the young couple. In the receiving line, besides the bride and groom, were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Trigg and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. M. Easterday. Master Walter Easterday at the door and Misses May Powers and Eleanor Mitchell at the

head of the stairs directed the guests to their proper places, and Mr. Cad Easterday and Miss Nelle Trigg presented them to the receiving party. In the dining room ices and cake were served by Mrs. Frederick B. Ryons and Miss Elizabeth Perkins, assisted by Mrs. Fred R. Easterday and the Misses Esther Denton, Pearl Powers and Nina Easterday. Miss Amber Barnaby and Miss Grace Trigg directed the guests to that room. The color scheme in the dining room was pink and white, the chandelier bearing pink candles, from which were hung festoons of smilax, making a very pretty effect. The table was decorated with a large Battenburg lunch cloth. In the center was a large oval mirror on which rested a bowl of pink roses and around which were garlands of green. Other rooms were very prettily done in green and white, palms and ferns being used in profusion. The doorways were arched with autumn leaves. The porch was enclosed in canvas and illuminated with Japanese lanterns.

Both the bride and groom have resided in Lincoln, the greater part of their lives. The bride is well and most favorably known in musical and social circles. The groom has been connected with the First National bank of this city for the past nine years, and is very popular among his associates.

The young couple start out in their new life under most favorable circumstances, and they carry with them the

best wishes of hosts of friends. They will spend their honeymoon in New York and other easter cities.

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Married Thursday evening at eight o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Parrish, by Reverend Fletcher L. Wharton, Miss Mabel Parrish and Mr. A. Thompson Boys. The Lohengrin wedding music played by Miss Cora Beach heralded the approach of the procession. The four bridesmaids, walking two and two, first entered the drawing room through an aisle made by stretching white ribbons, then came the ring bearer walking alone, then the bride and groom. The maids, who were the Misses Edith and Etta Parrish, Miss Bertha Brown, and Miss Olive Wallace, all wore white Swiss gowns and white ribbon sashes. Little Miss Dorothy Wallace, the ring bearer, was also in white. The seams gown was a dainty white Swiss with tucked skirt and corsage. The seams of the skirt were trimmed with lovely Honiton lace made by Mrs. Parrish and the corsage had a capuchin, of the same. An alcove formed by draperies of smilax tied with white ribbons, with a background of palms and asparagus had been arranged for the bridal party. The green and white color scheme was carried out in the sitting room also. The dining room

was decorated with pink roses and ferns, and the punch room was in red. The entire house was illumined with candles in colors to match the decorations in the various rooms. Ices were served in the dining room by Miss Marie Beach and Mrs. J. C. Barber, assisted by Misses May Beach and Ivy Wallace. Misses Bertha DuTell, Vinnie Beach and Linda Dwiggins served punch, and Miss May Murray and Mrs. Baird assisted in receiving. Very many lovely wedding gifts were displayed. Miss Parrish was educated in the Lincoln high school and the state university and has for three years been a teacher in the public schools. Mr. Boys is a member of the law class of 1900 and of Phi Delta Phi fraternity. Mr. and Mrs. Boys will visit in Creston, Ia., and return to Lincoln for a few days before going to Anadarko, Oklahoma, where they will reside. Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Boys and their three sons, parents and brothers of the groom, of Creston, Ia., and Mrs. Gibson, also of Creston. There were sixty guests in all present.

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Monday evening at half after eight o'clock, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. W. Toevs, was celebrated the marriage of Miss Flora Roberts, daughter of Mrs. Belle M. Roberts, and Mr. Eugene Odell Pace, son of Colonel and Mrs. L. C. Pace, formerly of this city but now of Montana. Reverend B. M. Long performed the wedding



MR. AND MRS. PHIL R. EASTERDAY.

The marriage of this popular pair occurred on Thursday of this week. Mrs. Easterday formerly was Miss Leta Trigg.

ceremony. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Miss Agnes McLaughlin, who also played soft music during the ceremony. Miss Edith Roberts, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Mr. Harry D. Landis was best man. The bride wore a becoming gown of white swiss mull made en traine, with garnitures of embroidery, insertion and lace, and carried bride roses. The maid of honor was also in white with pink sash and pink roses. The drawing room was decorated with pink hearts and lighted with pink tapers in silver and crystal candlesticks. The dining room was adorned with red carnations and lighted with red candles. A two course luncheon was served by Misses Florence Bain, Alvina Hoppe, Edith Roberts and Helen Stewart. The bride received many handsome presents from her friends of whom she has a large circle, although she has lived in Lincoln but two years. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. The groom has spent most of his life here and is a member of a well known family. Mr. and Mrs. Pace left at one o'clock Monday night for their new home in Whitehall, Montana. There were forty guests at the wedding, those from other places being Colonel and Mrs. Pace of Montana; Mrs. A. C. Milliman of Canton, South Dakota; Mrs. Fannie Summers and Mrs. Robert Ruston of Evansville, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Pickett of Plattsmouth; Miss Greer of Tecumseh.